

Reply under 37 CFR 1.116 – Expedited Procedure – Technology Center 1764

Application No.: 10/644,255

Response to Office Action of March 14, 2006

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Serial No.:	10/644,255)	Art Unit:	1764
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Filed:	August 20, 2003)	Examiner:	Tam M.
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For:	Treatment of Crude Oil Fractions,)		
	Fossil Fuels & Products Thereof)		

REPLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.116

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action of March 14, 2006, pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.116 and is believed to place the claims in better form for consideration on appeal. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this document and

Remarks begin on page 7 of this document.